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SUBJECT: PL 480 TITLE II COMMODITIES FOR CWS PROGRAMS

REF: TOAID A-34 3/9/73

1. WE HAVE AGAIN BEEN ADVISED BY THE CHURCH WORLD SERVICE (CWS) REPRESENTATIVE THAT SUBSTANTIAL UNILATERAL REDUCTIONS (UP TO 40 PERCENT OF AER APPROVALS) IN SHIPPING LEVELS OF CWS COMMODITIES DURING THE LATTER PART OF THE LAST FISCAL YEAR HAVE DEPLETED CWS TITLE II COMMODITY STOCKS AND HAVE CREATED THE IMMEDIATE DANGER OF TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF CWS TITLE II SUPPORTED ACTIVITIES.

2. THE MOST CRITICAL PERIOD IS THE FIRST QUARTER OF FY 1974, SINCE ABOVE REDUCTIONS PRIMARILY AFFECTED COMMODITY SHIPMENTS DURING THE LAST QUARTERS OF FY 1973.

3. CWS ADVISES THAT EVEN WITH GREATLY REDUCED RATIONS AND SUBSTITUTION OF LIMITED EMERGENCY NON TITLE II RESOURCES THERE WILL BE VIRTUALLY NO COMMODITIES AVAILABLE NEXT MONTH FOR THE MCH PROGRAM AND OTHER TITLE II ACTIVITIES.

4. UNLESS AID/W CAN ASSURE RESTITUTION OF CUTBACKS CITED ABOVE, CWS NOT IN A POSITION TO BORROW NEEDED COMMODITIES FROM OTHER VOLAG STOCKPILES SINCE SHIPMENTS CURRENTLY IN THE PIPELINE WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR USE UNTIL EARLY OR MID SEPTEMBER AND HAVE ALREADY BEEN EARMARKED FOR 2ND QUARTER FY '74 PROGRAMS.

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5. REQUEST REPLY EARLIEST, SPECIFICALLY ON THE QUESTION OF THE

RESTITUTION OF CUTBACKS AND WHEN THIS WILL TAKE PLACE.

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